GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3807
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SIDING CHARGES
ASHOK NAMDEORAO MOHOL

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the C&AG Report No.9 of 2002 has been examined by the Railways/Zonal Railways;

(b) if so, the reasons for not fixing the siding charges correctly; and

(c) the action taken by the Government against the officials held responsible for causing financial losses to the exchequer?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI BANDARU DATTATRAYA)

(a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Siding Charges were fixed by the Railways as per extant instructions.

(c) Undercharges have been recovered and there is no financial loss to the exchequer.